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Lightning and Hail —Town in Darkness

Covina had a touch of genuine eastern weather on Thursday of last week. Shortly after 6 p.m., a thunder and lightning storm, accompanied by heavy hail, swept over the Covina district. The storm broke suddenly with violence, the first flash of lightning burning out the electric transformers, throwing the town in darkness. The second bolt struck an unoccupied house on Badillo street, opposite Holy Trinity church. The southwest corner of the residence was wrecked, the studding and siding being torn to splinters by the shock.

The hail storm was of short duration, not over ten minutes, and the territory affected was limited. South of the center of town the hail fell to a depth of one to three inches, and even on the following morning it lay in drifts in the gutters and against fence corners.

Mrs. Lulu Dietz, owner of the Star theater, who was watching the storm from the window of her apartments on Citrus avenue, was struck by the lightning and discovered in an unconscious condition by other occupants of the house. Upon recovering she felt during the entire evening an uncomfortable tingling sensation of her arms and limbs.

It is some fifteen years since Covina was visited by a lightning and thunder storm of such severity. At that time three fires were started simultaneously in the main business center of the town, and a large tree in the garden fronting the residence of Mrs. Platt-Larkin, on the corner of Third and Center streets, was struck and shivered into fragments.

Telephone Employees Picnic in the Snow

Frank R. Wright, manager of the Covina Home Telephone Company, made a jolly host on Sunday when the employees of the corporation, with their families, were entertained at a picnic luncheon amid the snows and pines at Camp Baldy.

It was a happy crowd that left by truck and automobile from the company's office early on Sunday morning in anticipation of a day of pleasure in sleighing, snowballing and other kindred sports which are a novelty to the average resident of Southern California The party reached the camp shortly before noon, where they found the ground covered with a blanket of nearly a foot of snow. The management of the camp placed the large kitchens at their disposal, and following a bountiful lunch, the afternoon was spent in enjoying winter sports. The party included Mr. and Mrs. Wright and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Engle and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Bixby, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, Polly Haynes, Helen Jackson, Julia Hornbeck, Myrtle Ayers, Clara Shoemaker, Mary Hornecker, Mildred Hornecker, Lulu Remaley, Lucille Alvey, Irene Gray, Pauline Hawkins, Glen Buzzard, Lottie Sowle, Marian Mountain, Ethel Fisher.

PASADENA WOMAN WILL SPEAK TO CLUB MONDAY

The Monday Afternoon Club announces that Mrs. Edwin M. Stanton of Pasadena will be the speaker next Monday afternoon. Mrs. Stanton is past-president of the Pasadena Shakespeare Club, and is one of the most brilliant women in club circles. Her subject will be "The New Citizenship," and because of the desire that as many as possible hear her, the club will on Monday allow each member the privilege of bringing one guest on her personal visiting card. The program will open promptly at 2:30. Special music has been planned for the afternoon.

NAMES OF THREE MEN ON HIGH SCHOOL BALLOT

The names of George Chemberlen, Dr. Lewis S. Thorpe and Thomas Traweek will appear on the ballot at the forthcoming election for trustees for the Covina union high school district, to be held on Friday, March 28.

Two vacancies will occur on the board this year on account of the expiration of the terms of C. W. Potter and Elmer O. Thomason, who have filled the positions for the past four years. Both of these gentlemen have declined to again become candidates for the office.

Mr. Chemberlen has been a member of the grammar school board for the past four years. Dr. Thorpe was for four years a member of the board of trustees of the Los Angeles state normal school. Thomas Traweek is a well-known rancher.

ARGUS CIRCULATION PRODUCES RESULTS

The Covina Argus:

My 35c ad in last week's Argus gave me the best returns of any advertising I've done in a long time, and I advertise in various city, county and eastern papers. I am a "regular" after this when I have surplus bulbs for retail buyers.

I enclose check for $1.50, which I shall use up in advertising—probably more. I enclose ad. Classify same as last week. Insert twice this week and next week.

C. E. HOUDYSHEL,
Polytechnic High School, Los Angeles.

Large Audience Greets Christian Science Lecturer

An audience which filled to overflowing the auditorium of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, corner of Third and Center streets, greeted Mr. John Dunn of St Louis on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Dunn, a member of the board of lectureship of the mother church of Boston, had been announced for several weeks to lecture on Christian Science. The speaker spoke for one hour and twenty minutes, holding the attention of his hearers by his logical and simple explanations of the beliefs and doctrines of the church.

The speaker was introduced by Mrs. W. W. Bennett, a local reader, who expressed the pleasure of the members in having with them one who could present to them the word of truth as taught in Christian Science.

CHURCH SOCIETIES HELPING IN RED CROSS GARMENT WORK

Mrs. William Bowring has just received 200 new garments in addition to the 200 already received by the Red Cross and which complete Covina's quota of garments to be made up before June. The ladies of the Presbyterian Aid society have taken 100 garments, the Methodist society has taken 25, and the Aid Society of the Brethren church has also taken some to complete. The members of the Parent-Teachers' Association of West Covina spent Tuesday at the Red Cross rooms and made a number of garments. They were served with hot coffee at noon by Mrs. Collins and Mrs. Bowring. It is an earnest hope that any other group of women who can do so will follow the example of the West Covina association and meet in the Red Cross rooms for sewing. The rooms are open all day on Wednesdays and Fridays for the convenience of any one who can come there for work or to get work to take home.

DEATH OF FRANK O. WOLIN FOLLOWING LONG ILLNESS

Following a prolonged illness, the death occurred on Monday of Frank O. Wolin, at the home of his son, O. F. Wolin, on the Myers grove, Cypress avenue. The funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon at the Baptist church, in charge of a minister from Pasadena, an old friend of the family. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery.

Mr. Wolin was a native of Sweden, moving to America in 1880 at the age of 23. Fourteen months ago, with his wife, he moved from Wisconsin to California in the hopes that the change would prove beneficial to his health. He was suffering from cancer of the stomach.

SEASON RAINFALL NOW NEARLY TEN INCHES

The fear of a dry season has vanished, and if the rains which have been falling during the past week should continue at intervals during the balance of the month, Southern California will have more than its average yearly rainfall.

Rainfall for the storm, .79 inches; for the month of March, 2.79; for the season, 9.73.

FIRE SIREN WILL BLOW AT THE NOON HOUR

Covina is fast putting on metropolitan airs. The latest innovation will be the blowing of a single blast of the new fire siren at noon each day.

Fire Chief Kendall desires the Argus to announce that a test of the new siren will take place in a few days and that citizens should not be alarmed when they hear the shriek of the new whistle.

MAJOR GRAY, AUTOMOBILE DESIGNER, BUYS LARGE CITRUS HOLDINGS

One of the largest local realty sales of the past winter has been closed this week, when Major B. D. Gray of Greenwich, Connecticut, paid $105,000 for 68 acres of oranges and lemons adjoining the Damerel-Bright holdings on the heights north of La Verne.

The property, which is contiguous, was purchased in three parcels: forty-two acres from J. B. Coulston, a banker of Pasadena, twelve and one-half acres from Mr. Burroughs, and fourteen acres from C. L. Clay.

The Coulston tract is planted to ten-year-old trees, one-half navels and the balance lemons and Valencias. The Burroughs property is set to six-year-old trees, half lemons and half Valencia oranges. The Clay grove, six-year-old trees, is planted one-half navels and the balance Valencia oranges and lemons.

The property, which stands high on the mesa, commands a magnificent view of the valley. It will be known as "Graymont Groves," and it is the intention of its new owner to build a beautiful winter home upon the property within the next two years.

With this recent purchase the Bright-Damerel-Gray interests own over 200 acres of productive orange and lemon groves in the upper San Gabriel valley. They expect at an early date to erect a packing house at the most central shipping point to their various holdings and will market their fruit under their own brands.

Major Gray is a brother-in-law of H. V. Bright, whose beautiful home, "Reynvernel," adjoins the "Graymont Groves." He is an engineer by profession, having offices in New York. His specialty is the designing of automobiles. He was the designer of the "Alco" car for the American Locomotive Company, a car which won twice in succession the Vanderbilt race. At the commencement of the war he offered his services to the government and he was assigned to the aero corps, and it was his duty to inspect and pass upon every plane shipped overseas.

Major and Mrs. Gray, who own a beautiful summer home at Greenwich, Connecticut, are looking forward with pleasure to spending their future winters in California. They are at present guests at the Maryland, Pasadena.

FRANK M. CHAPMAN RETURNS FROM FRENCH WAR FRONT

Frank M. Chapman, Jr., eldest son of Mrs. F. M. Chapman, Sr., who enlisted in the Canadian Black Watch, and saw ten months of service with his regiment in France, arrived home this week.

Mr. Chapman has brought home a number of war trophies, but the one which he prizes most is his trench pick, which deflected a machine-gun bullet which had passed through his haversack.

At the outbreak of the war Mr. Chapman sought to enlist with the United States forces, but was repeatedly rejected because of defective eyesight. Unable to get into any branch of the American forces, he went to Toronto and offered his services to the Canadian government.

BEREAN CLASS HEARS TALK ON CENTENARY MOVEMENT

The Berean class of the Methodist Sunday-school held their monthly supper and business meeting in the church parlors on Tuesday evening. The tables for the supper were spread in the large parlor and were beautifully decorated and there were about seventy present to enjoy the supper and the program which followed. The speaker of the evening was the Reverend C. D. Lewis, pastor of the Vermont Square Methodist church of Los Angeles. Rev. Mr. Lewis gave a talk on the centenary movement. Mrs. Lewis, who is a sister of Mrs. Cowgill, sang several solos. The committee in charge of the arrangements were Mrs. Gloege, Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Nigg, Mrs. Pitzer, and Mrs. Coffin. Mr. Bosworth, the leader of the class, presided at the meeting.

VENERABLE CANDIDATE TO RECEIVE MASONIC HONORS

Knights Templar from all over Southern California will be present tonight at the conferring of the Temple degree upon Captain N. D. Mussey, who will celebrate his eighty-fourth birthday tomorrow. The degree will be conferred by Past Commander Thomas F. Griswold of Covina commandery, who is in his eighty-second year. This is the first time in the state of California that the Temple degree has been conferred upon an octogenarian by a commander of like age.

In honor of the event a dinner will be served the visiting knights in the banquet room of the commandery hall at 6:30 p.m.

SCHOOL MOTHERS' MEETING POSTPONED ONE WEEK

The meeting of the school mothers, which was to have been held yesterday afternoon, was postponed one week because of the rain. The meeting will be held next Thursday afternoon at the Reed schoolhouse, and Mr. B. S. Millikan, supervising principal of the Covina schools, will be present to speak on the coming school bond election and to explain in detail the plans for the new school building.

EVANS APPOINTED CAPTAIN IN RED CROSS SOCIETY

Mr. Ellicott Evans left this week to assume a position with the Red Cross at Camp Kearny. Mr. Evans has received a commission of captain and will have a permanent position with the society. Mr. Evans is a brother of Mrs. Pierre Letchworth and owns a beautiful ranch home at the foot of the mountain on Ben Lomond street.

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Program for the week beginning Monday, March 24.

MONDAY and TUESDAY

SESSUE HAYAKAWA in "THE BRAVEST WAY." This is an "all-round" picture. It will satisfy every taste. A sweet love theme, thrills, suspense, ever-changing action and gorgeous settings and scenery. What more could you ask? Don't fail to see this treat. Pathe News.

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY

VIOLA DANA starring in "THE GOLD CURE," a sparkling five-act comedy-romance of a "man-less" town. A breezy story of youth and love, with a combination of wit, wisdom and winsomeness. A play full of amusing and tender situations. A production of infinite variety. Latest Official War News.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

ELSIE FERGUSON in "A DOLL'S HOUSE." How Elsie Ferguson does tug on your heart-strings! You will find yourself sitting on the edge of your chair following her every movement. This is a splendid picture, magnificently produced, and its display this week will be one of the most notable of the season at the Star. Harold Lloyd Comedy.

GROCERIES at LEE'S

Bradford's Table Queen Bread

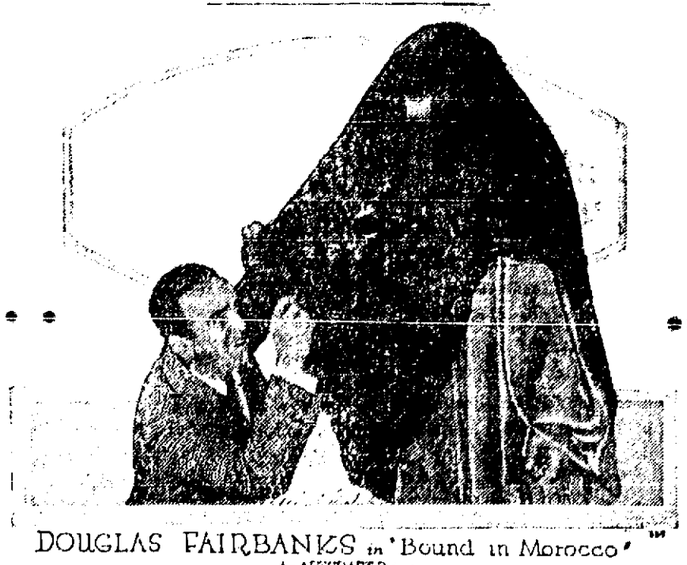
Flour—24 1-2 lb. sack Idaho Flour . $1.50
Bacon—special, per pound . . 38c
Macaroni and Spaghetti—all brands 3 pkgs. 25c
Walnuts—nice white meats, per lb. . 25c
Canned Milk—all brands except Carnation, 2 for 25c
Oleomargarine—all brands, per pound . 38c
Knox Gelatine, per pkg. . . . 15c

SPECIAL—SOAP

Large bar Magic Bleach White Soap 5 bars for 25c
Palmolive, 3 cakes 25c
Lux—per package 10c
GOOD BROOMS 59c

It pays to trade at LEE'S

DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS' NEW FILM, "BOUND IN MOROCCO" AT STAR



DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS in "Bound in Morocco"
An ARTCRAFT Picture

Douglas Fairbanks, the athletic Artcraft star, plays a unique role in "Bound in Morocco," an astonishing creation with a plot full of surprises.

The hero reaches the city of El Harib and while viewing his surroundings critically, he learns that a beautiful girls is about to be sold into bondage to the cruel Basha El Harib, governor of the province of Harib, because of her inability to pay a debt her dead father owed the Basha. Her mother seeks in vain to prevent her cherished daughter's sale, and she is dragged into the Basha's harem, screaming in terror.

And how the boy is involved in a net of intrigue, mystery and peril. How he foils the callous Basha, rides away with the girl, and generously makes his presence felt in the sleepy, langourous little El Harib, and how he smiles his tortuous way through the dangers that tax his American ingenuity and wit to their utmost, is a story that would spoil in the telling.

The climax comes when, just as the boy is about to escape from the city, pursued by a mob of townspeople and police, he is confronted by the bandits who owe him a deep and inveterate grudge which only his heart's blood can satisfy. It would be unfair to expose the methods he employs to bring the opposing forces together in deadly combat, during the progress of which he motors away in safety, his happy girl by his side.

This photoplay, which will be shown at the Star theater today and tomorrow, is filled with many novelties and surprises which doubtless will be acclaimed the most entertaining ever embraced in any Fairbanks picture.

High School Items

At last the "big" day has arrived. Tonight and tomorrow night the operetta, "Princess Bulbul," is to be given. The costumes arrived Monday and the week has been spent getting things into final shape and adding the finishing touches. Wednesday and Thursday nights there were dress rehearsals. Judging from the rehearsal Thursday night, the operetta will be a great success. Tuesday afternoon some of the leading characters presented two short sketches from the operetta. Their costumes showed up very well and everyone was pleased immensely. The costumes surpass any ever seen before on the high school stage, and it will be well worth while for everyone in Covina to come and see for himself if this is not true.

Tuesday evening, instead of Wednesday as first planned, the Covina basketball team won a very close game from Burbank at Glendale. At the end of the fourth quarter the score was 22 to 22, so the teams decided to play five minutes longer. At the end of these five minutes, though both teams had been playing desperately, the score was still a tie, 22 to 22, so they decided to play another five minutes. Burbank then scored one on a foul and the score was 23 to 22, but a couple of minutes' playing still remained. At the very last moment Jay Pitzer saved the day by throwing a basket from the center of the field, a feat which can only be done about one time in a thousand. This made the final score 24 to 23 in our favor.

Next Wednesday night Covina will play the winner of the Alhambra-Glendale game for the championship of the league. If the team works hard there is no reason why Covina cannot win the game, because there is some fine material on the Covina team.

Gala day, which was postponed indefinitely last Saturday on account of the rain, has been set definitely for Saturday, March 22. As the operetta will be given in the evening, the small play which Covina was to give at the evening gathering will not be given. It is doubtful whether any students from Covina will tae part in the field athletics of the afternoon.

W. LEIGHTON, '19.

BIBLE STUDY QUESTIONS.

The farewell message of any great man is always accounted important and entitled to great respect. Washington's farewell address means more to Americans than any of his other messages. Second Timothy is the farewell message of the apostle Paul. It is our study for this week. Paul wrote it from prison while he was awaiting the sentence of death from Nero.

Friday: The relation of Paul, "the aged," with his young disciple Timothy were very tender. Find evidence of this 1:1-4. What confirms Paul's confidence in Timothy's faith? 5. What does he urge the young man to do? 6. What three characteristics has the spirit that God gives? 7. Do you ever need the admonition of verse 8?

Saturday: In verses 9-10 find four things that Christ has done for us. Get acquainted with Onesiphorus. 16-18. What kind of a man was he? How was Paul sustained? 12. Learn this verse.

Sunday: Read 2:1-13. To what three activities is the Christian life likened? 4-6. Notice the contrast in 11-13. Learn verse 3.

Monday: Read 2:14-26. From the 18th verse get a glimpse of some of the false teachings. What is a characteristic of such teaching? 17. What gives us courage to believe in the defeat of error? 19. The 15th verse should be in the memory of every christian. If you do not know it, learn it.

Tuesday: "Perilous Times and Personal Conduct," is the subject of the third chapter. How are the perilous times described? 1-19,13. How should Christians conduct themselves? 14. Is verse 12 still true? Study 15-17 and discover three things that a knowledge of scriptures will do for one.

Wednesday: Read 4:1-8. What is Timothy admonished to do? Dwell particularly on the farewell words of the grand old man in 6-8.

Thursday: The remainder of the epistle is taken up with personal items. It is a very important passage from the viewpoint of the personal history of Paul. What does he want Timothy to do? Who is he to bring? What articles? Who has deserted the apostle? Who stood by him at the first trial? 16-17. What man alone is with him? Glance through the names of this passage and recall what you can about each one.

GLENDORA WILL UNVEIL TABLETS TO HONORED DEAD

At 3 o'clock in the aftternoon of Sunday, March 23rd, at the Methodist Episcopal church in Glendora, two bronze tablets will be unveiled, one to the memory of Mrs. Clarence O. Kimball, the deceased wife of the pastor, and one to the memory of Lieutenant Frank J. Gard, the only Glendora soldier who lost his life in the great war. Dr. W. E. Tilroe, pastor of University Methodist church of Los Angeles, and Mr. Harry A. Williams, war correspondent of the Los Angeles Times, will deliver addresses. Mrs. Berne Barker of Los Angeles will sing. The public is invited.

NATIONAL STATESMEN GUESTS AT "RANCHO PISO FLORES"

Former United States Senator Frank Cannon of Utah, accompanied by his aged mother, who has been a resident of Salt Lake city for the past seventy years, have been guests during the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Adams at "Rancho Piso Flores." Senator Cannon has for many years been one of the political figures in the state of Utah.

Hon. A. M. Stevenson, Republican national committeeman for Colorado, has alsa been a guest at the Adams home this week.

Cafeteria supper, Tuesday, April 1st, Methodist church, 6 p.m. Everybody welcome. 3-28

ANNUAL W. C. T. U. MEETING WILL BE HELD TODAY

This (Friday) afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock, the local white-ribboners will hold their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Johnson, Italia street, when reports, plans, and the annual election will have a part in the program. Everyone interested cordially invited.

WILL YOU ASSIST US IN DELIVERY OF PAPER?

If the Times subscribers will place their boxes convenient for the use of the boys in wet weather it will help us both. We are not allowed to use the government mail box for that purpose. It C. T. BOOTH, Times Agent.

SCHOOL BOND ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of Covina City School District of Los Angeles County, California, that, in accordance with the provisions of the Political Code of the State of California, an election will be held on the

14TH DAY OF APRIL, 1919,

at the Reed School in said district, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 6 p.m. (during which period and between which hours the polls shall remain open), at which election the question of issuing and selling bonds of said district to the amount of one hundred fifty thousand dollars, for the purpose of raising money for purchasing school lots, for building or purchasing one or more school buildings, or making alterations or additions to any school building or buildings, for insuring school buildings, for supplying school buildings with furniture or necessary apparatus, and for improving school grounds, will be voted upon.

The said bonds thereunder to be issued and sold shall be of the denomination of one thousand dollars each, and shall bear interest at the rate of 5½ per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and shall be numbered from 1 to 150 consecutively, payable as follows, towit:

Bonds Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, each one thousand dollars, to run one year;
Bonds Nos. 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, each one thousand dollars, to run 2 years;
Bonds Nos. 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, each one thousand dollars, to run 3 years;
Bonds Nos. 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, each one thousand dollars, to run 4 years;
Bonds. Nos. 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, each one thousand dollars, to run 5 years;
Bonds Nos. 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, each one thousand dollars, to run 6 years;
Bonds Nos. 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, each one thousand dollars, to run 7 years;
Bonds Nos. 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, each one thousand dollars, to runs 8 years;
Bonds Nos. 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, each one thousand dollars, to run 9 years;
Bonds Nos. 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, each one thousand dollars, to run 10 years;
Bonds Nos. 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, each one thousand dollars, to run 11 years;
Bonds Nos. 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, each one thousand dollars, to run 12 years;
Bonds Nos. 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, each one thousand dollars, to run 13 years;
Bonds Nos. 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, each one thousand dollars, to run 14 years;
Bonds Nos. 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, each one thousand dollars, to run 15 years;
Bonds Nos. 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, each one thousand dollars, to run 16 years;
Bonds Nos. 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, each one thousand dollars, to run 17 years;
Bonds Nos. 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, each one thousand dollars, to run 18 years;
Bonds Nos. 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, each one thousand dollars, to run 19 years;
Bonds Nos. 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, each one thousand dollars, to run 20 years;
Bonds Nos. 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, each one thousand dollars to run 21 years;
Bonds Nos. 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, each one thousand dollars, to run 22 years;
Bonds Nos. 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, each one thousand dollars, to run 23 years;
Bonds Nos 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, each one thousand dollars, to run 24 years;
Bonds Nos. 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, each one thousand dollars, to run 25 years;
Bonds Nos. 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, each one thousand dollars, to run 26 years;
Bonds Nos. 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, each one thousand dollars, to run 27 years;
Bonds Nos. 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, each one thousand dollars, to run 28 years;
Bonds Nos. 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, each one thousand dollars, to run 29 years;
Bonds Nos. 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, each one thousand dollars, to run 30 years.

That C. S. Beardsley will act as Inspector, and Geo. B. Scofield and J. H. Simpson will act as the Judges of said election, and conduct the same, said Inspector and Judges being competent and qualified electors of said school district.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 18th day of March, 1919.

GEO F. CHEMBERLEN,
A. NIGG,
W. W. NASH,
Trustees of said School District, Los Angeles County, California.
3-29,27; 4-3,10

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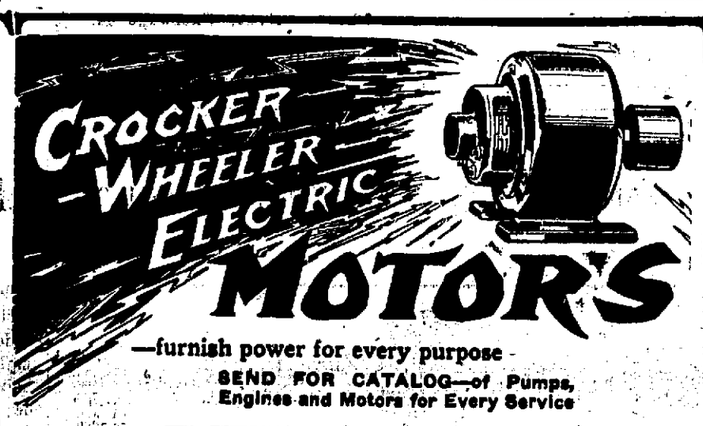

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE.
Sheriff's Sale No. B69,541

Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale.

J. N. MAURER, Plaintiff.
vs.
EARL EDGETT, as administrator of the estate of Mary M. Edgett, deceased, and the Estate of Mary M. Edgett, deceased, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, of the State of California, on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1919, in the above-entitled action, wherein J. N. Maurer, the above-named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Earl Edgett, et al defendants, on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1919, for the sum of nine hundred forty-one and 31/100 ($941.31) dollars, gold coin of the United States, which said decree was, on the 10th day of February, A. D. 1919, recorded in Judgment Book 467 of said court, at page 318, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the City of Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

Lot fifteen (15) in block one (1) of Hostetler's Addition to Covina, in the City of Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California, as per map recorded in book 84, page 7, miscellaneous records of said county, excepting therefrom the south 15 feet conveyed to City of Covina, for alley purposes.

Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, and the rents, issues and profits thereof.

Public Notice is hereby Given, that, on Tuesday, the 25th day of March, A. D. 1919, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the Court House door of the County of Los Angeles, Broadway entrance, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interests and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for cash, gold coin of the United States.

Dated this 27th day of February, 1919.

JNO. C. CLINE,
Sheriff of Los Angeles County.
By W. T. Osterholt, Deputy Sheriff.
Thos. B. Reed, Plaintiff's Attorney.
2-28;3-7,14,21

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News of the Valley

WEST COVINA.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pearson, who have been spending several months in Hollywood, have moved back to their ranch home on Merced street.

The members of the Parent-Teacher Association of West Covina to the number of fifteen or more spent Tuesday at the Red Cross rooms in Covina, sewing on garments for the French refugees.

A party of West Covina people were among those who were attracted to Camp Baldy on Sunday by the snow there. The party included Mr. and Mrs. Walter Woolsey and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lang and daughter, Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Hoar and family, and Mrs. J. S. Alexander and daughter, Mildred.

Mrs. David G. Kinney of Willow street attended the La Salle society reunion held at the Alexandria hotel on Tuesday.

Mrs. Edgar Maxson is a guest for a few days this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Maxson of Sunset avenue.

Robert and Clifford Dancer, sons of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dancer of Francisquito street, are very ill this week with la grippe.

Mrs. John Willets, who has been very ill with pneumonia for some weeks, is improving. Miss Florence Willets, who was called home by her mother's illness, returned to her position as teacher in the Bakersfield school this week.

Mr. E. T. Freeman of Santa Monica was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hutchcroft of Sunset street on Wednesday.

Mrs. Blanche Clague, with Mr. and Mrs. Poole, spent Tuesday in Orange with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Friends of Los Angeles were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Kranz of Arroyo Drive on Sunday.

On Monday afternoon Mrs. John Dripps of Arroyo Drive entertained a number of friends in compliment to her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mary Brooks of Minnesota, who has been making an extended visit in California. The St. Patrick's day motif was carried out throughout the afternoon in the decorations, the refreshments, and the games and music, the effect being very attractive and unique. The guests were all residents of Arroyo Drive, those present being Mrs. L. Johnson, Mrs. Schaeff, Mrs. C. Kranz, Mrs. J. A. Taschner, Miss Elfrida Taschner, Mrs. Gray, Miss Juanita Gray, Mrs. Durfee, Miss Gertrude Williams, and Mrs. Golbie of Azusa.

Mrs. C. J. Hurst and children of Orange avenue spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. King of Whittier.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McCadden of Orange avenue entertained at dinner on Sunday a family party in honor of the latter's sister and brother, Mrs. Mallory and Mr. H. E. Beckley of Chicago, who have ben visiting them and who left for their eastern home later in the day. Covers wer laid for twelve, the other guests being relatives from Ventura, Santa Paula and Ontario.

Mrs. Bush, mother of Mrs. H. A. Seaman of the Puente boulevard, is spending the week in Long Beach with Mrs. Silkwood, formerly a resident of Covina.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lang entertained over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dawson of Gardena.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stimson of Orange and Francisquito avenues had as their guests on Sunday Mrs. Carrie V. Brown, Mr. Will Brown and daughter, Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bishop, Mrs. Frank Carr and Mr. Randolph Carr, all of Los Angeles.

Mrs. John Dripps, assisted by Mrs. J. E. Hibsch, entertained Thursday evening a number of friends as a farewell gathering in honor of Mrs. Mary Brooks, who is leaving for her home in Minnesota this week.

Mrs. Mary Brooks and children and Miss Gertrude Williams spent two days this week at Catalina.

IRWINDALE.

Mr. and Mrs. DeForest Reichard and family of Glendale were guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Reichard of San Bernardino road.

Mrs. Bertha Foster, Miss Pearl Mullendore and Ray Mullendore of Ontario were dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Grafton and son, Charles Grafton of Vincent street, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Baughman of the San Bernardino road had as guests on Saturday Mrs. Reed and Mr. B. O. Crane of Los Angeles.

Miss Opal Searcy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Searcy of San Bernardino road, entertained Miss Violet Turner of Glendale over Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Drendel and children, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stewart and family, and Mr. and Mrs. William Drendel were among those who motored to Camp Baldy on Sunday to enjoy the snow.

Mr. Geo. A. Sanborn, who has been spending the week in San Diego and Otay, visiting relatives and seeing the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coltrin of San Bernardino road entertained at dinner on Sunday Mrs. Laura Matney and daughter, Allene, and son, Glen, and Mr. Bob Edgar.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Flint and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Drendel attended the Shamrock dance at Whittier on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Baldosser and son Clyde visited Mr. and Mrs. W. O. McClintock of Walnut on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Philleo of Cypress avenue have as their house guest the latter's sister, Mrs. F. L. Thomas, whose home is in Victor valley. Mrs. Ella Hubbard of Los Angeles was also a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philleo over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Harris of Vineland avenue had as their guests on Sunday Mrs. E. C. Rust and children and Mr. J. C. Jeans of Covina.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beardsley of San Bernardino road were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Castillo of Azusa on Sunday at a dinner in celebration of the birthday of their little niece, Ruth Castillo. Later in the day the party motored to Urbita Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Rebhan and children and Mr. and Mrs. O. Brittain motored to Camp Baldy on Sunday, where the snow attracted many.

CHARTER OAK.

The Charter Oak Thimble Club met at the home of Mrs. H. O. Mace on Bonita avenue on Tuesday of this week. The club is continuing its work of sewing for the French refugees, and at the close of the day, with those that had been completed by members at their homes, there were seventy-five garments ready to be sent. Mrs. Mc Hann and Mrs. Frank Houser of Covina were guests of the club for the day. Mrs. McHann explained to the club the work of rechickenizing France and secured a number of memberships for the poultry club.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Rensselaer, daughter Evelyn and baby of Los Angeles, who were former residents of Charter Oak, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dolcater of Sunflower and Bonita avenues on Saturday and called on old friends in the afternoon.

Miss Dorothy Cassel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Cassel of Ruddock street, will entertain over the week-end Miss Ruth Darling of Placentia and Mr. Leroy Shields of San Dimas. They will be guests of Miss Cassel at the high school operetta.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Gleason and family of Alhambra and Mrs. Catherine Kinsman of Coon Rapids, Iowa, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Galenus Morris on Sunflower avenue on Sunday. Mrs. Kinsman remained to be their house-guest this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Goodrich of Los Angeles were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sprague on Bonita avenue on Sunday.

Miss Gladys Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Johnson, was the week-end guest of her aunt, Mrs. Harry Cutting of Los Angeles.

Miss Dana Goodnight and Miss Frances Ward were dinner guests on Sunday of the Misses Pearl and Mary Funk.

Miss Dorothy Dolcater is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dolcater, for a week's rest from her work as a student nurse at the San Bernardino hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Grogan and son, Francis, of Long Beach, formerly of Charter Oak, were the guests at dinner of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Meade on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hughes of Cienega avenue were dinner guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. S. T. Harvey, in Los Angeles, on Sunday, and later in the afternoon motored to the beach with friends.

Miss Dorothy Dolcater was the guest of Miss Helen Heald at dinner Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smeltzer had as their guest on Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nelson and Mrs. Laura Cellum and son, Buford, of Huntington Park.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Cassel will have as their guests on Saturday and at the operetta at the high school in the evening Miss Harriet Cassel of Pasadena and Miss Dolores Cassel of San Dimas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mace of Sunflower avenue will spend the week-end at Redondo Beach.

Mrs. William Kent and Mrs. H. C. Mace spent Wednesday afternoon in Pomona in attendance at the meeting of the W. R. C.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smeltzer of Bonita avenue entertained on Monday the Rev. F. F. Sanger of Empire, California, who is conducting a series of meetings in Glendora, and Mr. Bashore of Glendora.

Miss Dorothy Dye, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Dye of Cienega avenue, appeared on the program at the students' recital at Bridges Hall, Pomona college, on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Worrel of Bonita avenue entertained as callers on Sunday Postmaster McLean and wife of Pasadena.

Mrs. W. H. Wohlgemuth of Glendora avenue entertained at luncheon Wednesday Mrs. E. A. Courtney of Streeter, Illinois, who is spending the winter in Long Beach.

Mr. W. T. Johnson of Center street, who has been confined to his bed for a week with illness, is able to be up and around again.

Miss Dorothy Dolcater, Miss Esther Dolcater and Foster Reynolds attended the basketball game between the Covina high school team and Burbank at Glendale on Tuesday evening.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS WILL MEET IN POMONA

The Los Angeles county Christian Endeavor convention will be held at Pomona beginning Friday and continuing until Sunday evening. The local Presbeytorian church will suspend the evening services on Sunday evening in favor of the services in Pomona. Several automobile loads of members of the society will leave the church after the morning services and after enjoying a picnic lunch together at Ganesha park, will attend the meetings at Pomona.

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ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Covina Irrigating Company, principal place of business, Covina, Covina Township, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the directors held on the fifth day of March, 1919, an assessment (No. 84) of 100 cents per share was levied upon the capital stock (as increased October 22nd, 1886) of the above named corporation, payable immediately to the secretary at the office of the company in Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 7th day of April, 1919, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 29th of April, 1919, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the company in Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising and expense of sale.

B. F. EDWARDS, Secretary.
Covina, California, March 5, 1919.

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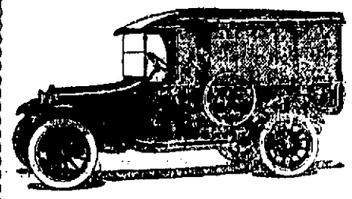

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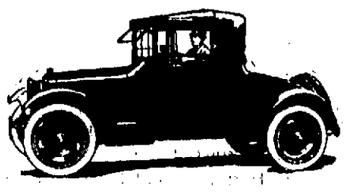

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TELEPHONE NO. 3

Children Being Weighed to Determine Health.

At the request of the principals of the Covina schools, Miss Hilda G. Humphries, the district school nurse, has prepared for publication a statement relative to the health of the children in the Covina schools, with timely suggestions for their physical education and hygiene:

In England and the European countries, France, Belgium and Italy, the health of the children has already shown distinct marks of deterioration due to the war. In these countries the physical impairment of the children and the after-effects from it will be hard to overcome, and in most cases impossible. The children of the United States are not exempt from these conditions.

In order to prevent these after effects it demands immediate attention.

The draft revelations showed that at least one out of every four of our young men, who ought to have been in the flower of their young manhood, were physically unfit—in many cases a result of the lack of physical education and hygiene in their youth.

In order to avoid a repetition of this it is necessary to begin with the children.

It is estimated by best authorities that three out of every four children in the country are suffering from some physical defect which might be prevented or corrected.

The U. S. government has sent to the schools, for each classroom, charts for the record of the weight of the children, which is to be done monthly if possible.

It has been impossible for me, as school nurse of such a large territory, to weigh all the children. But in the smaller schools this has been done.

Out of 413 school children weighed in the Covina school district last month 254 were found to be below normal. This is an interesting but sad discovery.

The point now is: to find the cause of the underweight and to try to remedy it. There can be several causes: adenoids, enlarged tonsils, which, as is well known, retards the child physically and mentally. Eye strain frequently means nausea, loss of appetite, resulting in malnutrition. Decayed and deficient teeth hinders the child from thoroughly masticating its food. Rapid eating, the indulgence in candy and sweets between meals, drinking tea and coffee, lack of fresh air while sleeping and exercising, lack of cleanliness and proper clothing, or two much clothing are harmful. Anyone or all of these apparently simple causes may result in physical disorders for the child.

At the recent physical demonstration given here by Prof. J. B. Nash, he spoke of the need of personal hygiene being driven home.

That, with regulating the child's meals so that he may obtain those foods which are of the most nutritive value, will help to bring the child up to his normal weight.

It is to be regretter that at none of the schools in this district is a child able to obtain a hot dish or a cup of milk or cocoa for his lunch, and for that reason the school lunches must be packed with more thought of the food value. A child can not do good mental work unless he is properly fed.

Here are a few points regarding foods from which good, well-balanced lunches may be obtained:

1. Starch found in breads, corn, rice, barley or wheat.
2. Sugar found in dried fruits, cookies.
3. Minerals found in vegetables and fruits.
4. Fats found in butter, oleomargarine, oils, nuts, olives.
5. Protein found in milk, eggs, meat, cheese, fish, beans, nuts.
6. Growth determiners found in milk, eggs, butter, lettuce, spinach, cabbage.

A child's lunch should contain all of the above food groups in amounts according to their relative importance.

Foods in groups 1, 2, 3, should make up the bulk of these lunches, but each should contain at least one of group 5, as protein builds up the muscular tissue of the body. There should be one or more of group 6 (depending on the amount of group 5), as they are vitally important in the growth of the young.

HILDA G. HUMPHRIES, R. N.

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A great treat is in store for lovers of good music when Mr. J. Robert Saunders and Mr. Lester H. Gauweiler will appear in concert, at the high school auditorium, on next Tuesday evening, March 25, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Saunders, noted violin virtuose, is a musician of exceptional ability, a pupil of pupils of Ole Bull Sauret and Joachim, also of Adolf Weidig. He is

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a rare and pleasing artist causing his audience to experience the thrills of supreme delight that the weird, passionate tones of the violin awakens. Mr. Saunders' violin is a Duiffopruggar, made in 1516 by the inventor of violins. It has been played upon by great violinists, from Ole Bull to Kreisler.

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ing the originality, wealth of true color, possibilities of touch and expression, to which the birthright of genius may lay claim. Mr. Gauweiler's unbounded success on the concert platform is a guarantee of the great pleasure he will afford his audience on the above date.

Mrs. Robert J. Saunders, dramatic reader will assist in the program.

The tickets are being sold at the low price of 25 cents that every one, rich or poor, may hear these artists.—Adv.

COVINA BOOK STORE SOLD TO J. R. SMITH

J. Ralph Smith, a native of California, who has been residing in the east and abroad for several years, has this week purchased the Covina Book Store from H. M. Roberts.

Mr. Smith has had several years experience in the book business and comes to our city well qualified to assist the other merchants to make Covina the trading center of the valley that its central position justifies. It is his intention to enlarge the present stock of books, stationery, etc., to supply the growing demand for goods of this and allied lines.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith came to California a few months ago from Philadelphia to secure a business in Mr. Smith's native state, and express themselves as pleased with Covina. They are experiencing difficulty in finding a suitable modern house in which to live until they are ready to build a home of their own. Mr. Smith is encouraged to find Covina so well occupied, but he expresses the hope that some surplus may soon be utilized by some one to supply the need of more homes in our city.

Mr. Roberts, who has conducted the business for the past eight years, is going east soon to resume art work along the line of illustrating and designing, work which he did in New York before he entered business in California.

"Why?" This is the question constantly seeking an answer when the unexpected occurs. That there may be no reflection cast on the business conditions of Covina or this sunny land, I wish to answer the question why I have retired from business. The business has prospered in proportion to the ability of the manager, and in my estimation the business prospects of Covina were never brighter. This has been a strong temptation to me to continue in business, but I am more strongly tempted to return to art work. This will necessitate my living in the east for an indefinite time.

After developing my work and establishing a market for it in the east, I hope to return to the Pacific coast to practice my profession. If it were not for this prospect I should indeed be more sorry than I am to leave this famous climate.

For my wife as well as myself I wish to express our appreciation of the splendid patronage we have enjoyed during the eight years we have been in business in Covina, and particularly do we most sincerely appreciate the good will and encouragement extended us.

Mr. J. Ralph Smith, my successor, is an experienced business man and expresses the desire to give Covina a bigger and better book store. With the co-operation of the people of Covina and vicinity this desire will become a reality.

We have, and will continue to have, what we trust is a pardonable pride in the Covina Book Store, and to those many loyal patrons we wish to express the hope that they will continue to give to the new proprietor the same regular support which has made the Covina Book Store an established business in Covina.

H. M. ROBERTS.

ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that those desiring to become candidates for the office of trustees for the Covina city grammar school district must file a notice of intention with the clerk of the school board five days before the date of election, which will be held in Friday, March 28.

W. W. NASH, Clerk.

Earl Harnish and David McMillen were guests of Hamilton Temple in the Temple cottage at Santa Monica over the week-end. The boys attended the races Saturday.

James Hodges returned home Friday from Camp Fremont, having been discharged from service. He is confined to his home with an attack of scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Knudtson of Puente street entertained old-time friends, Denny Kelly of North Dakota and F. T. Nokken, on Saturday.

Herman Wird of Van Nuys was a guest Sunday of the U. G. Kring family.

Mrs. Frank L. Davis of Seattle was the guest over the week-end of her aunt, Mrs. A. L. Warner.

Wrong Kind of Animal.

This is the latest Paris boulevard story.

Hindenburg died, and since he was a marshal he went to heaven. But the German functionary at the door said to him:

"Marshal, you must enter on a horse."

Hindenburg descended to hunt for a horse and encountered the German crown prince.

"So you're dead, too?" he said.

"Yes," responded the kaiser's son. "I ate too much Holland cheese. But show me the door to heaven, where, naturally, I go."

Hindenburg took the crown prince by the arm and they got in line behind the other heaven-bound pilgrims. The line moved up and finally they reached the door where the German functionary again blocked Hindenburg.

"Marshal," he said, "I told you to get a horse, not an ass."

Doomed to Disappointment.

On a train, a few evenings ago, two business men were discussing the dining car service which has been established by the railroad administration, when the negro waiter came to take their order.

"How is this dinner tonight—are you proud of it?" one of the men asked the waiter.

"Well," he said, "I ain't ashamed of it—exactly. If a gentleman is hungry enough it will taste good. If he is not very hungry, he will not like it, perhaps. And if he is very hungry so that he likes it, he will still be hungry when he eats all we bring him."

"If I'm not hungry I can't eat the stuff, and if I am, I'll not have enough?" repeated the man.

The waiter grinned.

Find Steel Ladle in Oak Tree.

A steel ladle, seven inches long, supposed to have been used by Indians in melting lead for bullets many years ago, was found imbedded in the heart of a red oak tree sawed up for fire wood at South Altoona, Pa. Rings on the tree indicate that it was more than one hundred years old. The ladle, made of the finest charcoal steel, is believed to have been driven into the tree when it was a sapling.

Shop at Home, Buy Downtown.

"The war made a new kind of Christmas buyer," the clerk at one of the uptown stores said the other day. "They are not at all like the undecided, unpleasant hangers-on of former years, the women who come to annoy and annoy before they finally buy. Now they are brisk and alert. They know what they wish and buy it when they see it, without the usual quibbling and indecision of other years. I think a woman described it best when she said the other day:

"Last year I came downtown and shopped half a dozen days before I did any buying. This year I shop at home and then when I get downtown I buy."—Indianapolis News.

EVERYTHING IN THIS WORLD

must have a start—even a fortune. Most rich men began small. They saved a part of their money, and then when opportunity arrived, they had the means to take advantage of it.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Kodak finishing. Covina Book Store.

Miss Crystal Gates motored to San Diego with her brother-in-law, Reverend O. N. Oleson of Santee, Sunday, returning by train on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. English of New Hampshire are guests at the home of the former's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. V. O. English of Puente street.

The Young People's Bible class of the Methodist church, of which Mr. E. P. Warner is the leader, enjoyed a waffle supper together at the church parlors on Monday evening preceding the regular monthly meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. George Scofield and sons, Sam and Bob, with Howard Gillett, attended the Santa Monica auto races Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dey Rew and Mrs. Mary Glennan, with Miss Maritza Barcofcy as a guest, attended the Santa Monica auto race Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Scarcy, with a party of Sierra Madre friends, spent the week-end at Fern Lodge in the mountains above Sierra Madre.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pierre E. Letchworth are entertaining Sunday evening at the home, Penjerrick ranch, in honor of Captain Paul Green of Buffalo. The invited guests are Mrs. Josiah Letchworth, Miss Harriette Winslow, Mrs. Kate Vosburg, Mrs. Chielburg, Mrs. Mary Vosburg, Mr. and Mrs. John Hately of Los Angeles, Miss Van Noy, Miss Morgan, Mr. Otis Mercer and Mr. Graham of Pasadena, Mr. Albert Spann of Buffalo, Miss Rosita Kerckhoff, Mrs. Phillip Thurber, Miss Lucinda Beatty, Miss Genevieve Matthews, Mr. Ronald Taylor.

World Almanac, 1919. Covina Book Store.

Mr. Jones of Mitchell county, Iowa, who is spending the winter in Long Beach, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith this week, and was also entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Seamer Smith of Badillo street Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. G. K. Abbott will leave next Monday for their new home in the northern part of the state. Dr. Abbott goes to assume the duties of superintendent of the St. Helena sanatorium. Their many friends in Covina will miss their departure.

Luther Smith, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Waldo L. Smith of Navilla Place, is convalescing from an attack of bronchial pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Snodgrass of San Bernardino road will entertain Mrs. A. Jordan and little son of Los Angeles over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Prescott of Long Beach was the guest last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Stanton and Miss Illie Stanton.

Remember you have an engagement tonight at the high school to hear "The Princess Bulbul." 1t

Several auto loads of the members of the B. Y. P. U., with Rev. A. Watson Brown, will attend the annual B. Y. P. U. convention in Los Angeles Friday evening.

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Rev. and Mrs. A. Watson Brown entertained at luncheon Miss Nora Howe and her mother, Mrs. Fred Howe, of Howell, Mich., at luncheon Wednesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Franklin have been spending the week with Mrs. Will Kinney in La Verne.

Mrs. Charles Brewer and little daughter of Los Angeles are guests this week of Mrs. Nora Fisher and family of Bonita avenue.

Miss Sue Cox, aunt of Mrs. Fingerle, who has been a guest here, returned Wednesday to her home in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Van Booven left Wednesday for her home in Winslow, Arizona, after spending ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Dancer, on Service street.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Dancer of Service street entertained on Sunday Miss Jewel Klay, Miss Oda Scholten, Miss Augusta Lensing and Mrs. H. E. Heying, all of Anaheim.

The time to sell is when there are buyers. I have or can find the buyers. Come in and list your property with me. Do it now. C. N. Hull, 208 Citrus Avenue. 1t

Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Cushman of Puente street entertained at Sunday dinner Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Whitsel and Mrs. Osborne of Whittier.

Misses Daisey Ross and Christine Morrison of Los Angeles were guests Friday evening of Mr. and Mrs. W. Q. Custer.

The high school operetta, "Princess Bulbul," is to be given tonight and tomorrow night. 1t

Mrs. Caroline Richmond spent a few days this week in Long Beach.

Be sure and hear Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus give "The Gates That Bar" and "The Bird-Man," America's greatest whistler, Tuesday, April 1st, 8 p.m., at Methodist church. 3-28

Mrs. S. L. Spencer of Howard street celebrated the birthdays of her two daughters, Mrs. A. Daly of San Bernardino and Mrs. Marion Coltrin of Center street, with a dinner party Sunday. The other guests were Mr. and Mrs. S. Ferber, Mr. Daly, Mr. Harley Garrison, and Mrs. Coltrin's two sons.

Mrs. D. F. Moore of South Haven, Mich., and Mrs. Fannie Hale of Pomona were guests Wednesday at luncheon of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berman at the Mountain View ranch. In the afternoon the Bermans and their guests made an auto trip into the San Fernando valley.

Miss Essie Elliott and Miss Hattie Steyer of Los Angeles and Miss Edith Grundy of Hollywood will be dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. George Jennings and attend the high school operetta Friday evening.

Mrs. A. G. O'Brien, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Haley of Cottage Drive, returned to her home in Brawley Tuesday. Miss Gertrude Hulce went with her for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Haynes entertained Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Smith of San Dimas at Sunday dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Groom of Double avenue and Hollenbeck street entertained the Newcomers' Club on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gordon and children spent Saturday in the snow at Mt. Wilson.

Members of the local lodge of the Knights of Pythias gave a dance in their lodge room on Tuesday evening. The music was furnished by the Stanley orchestra of Pasadena. It is the intention of Covina Knights to hold dances every two weeks, on Tuesday nights, during the spring and summer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Elliott of North Citrus avenue entertained at dinner on Tuesday evening in honor of a group of young men who have just returned to their homes from service. Covers were laid for Miss Edna Modie of Los Angeles, Miss M. E. Griswold and Miss Mamie Cook of Covina, Mr. Robert Philleo, Mr. Bert Warren, Mr. Dave Warren and Mr. Hal Warren of Glendora, Mr. and Mrs. William Viney, and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Milliken.

WANTED—Chickens, turkeys, geese. Warner, Whitsel & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. McHann of West Badillo street have become the owners of a new Dodge car.

Mrs. Dey Rew will entertain the Glendora-Covina Bridge Club on Saturday at luncheon and for the afternoon.

Mrs. B. S. Millikan entertained the teachers of the grammar school at an "egglatairre" on Tuesday afternoon. Yellow acacia and jonquils were used for decorations.

Miss Helen Mattingly of Los Angeles will be the guest of Miss Constance Ricketts on Friday and for the operetta at the high school in the evening.

Mrs. Frank Moss of Badillo street is convalescing at a hospital in Los Angeles from a very serious operation which she underwent the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ricketts of West Center street and daughter, Miss Constance, will spend the week-end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jameson of St. Paul, who are located for the winter in Pasadena.

The "egglatairres" given by the ladies of the war activities committee of the Monday Afternoon club, besides being very pleasant socially, proved very profitable to the cause for which they were given, the work of rechickenizing France. The committee plans to continue the work for funds by giving a buffet "spring supper" on the evening of the first Tuesday after Easter.

Miss Lydia Hassheider of Los Angeles is spending several days this week with her sister, Mrs. A. Nigg of East Center street.

The costumes used in the operetta, "Princess Bulbul," to be given by the high school tonight and tomorrow night are the finest that have ever been used at any high school production here.

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Mr. Seamer S. Smith, who has recently moved to Covina to live, will have his repair shop near his residence at the corner of Third and Badillo street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Phillips and daughter, Betty, were the guests of Mrs. William Caldwell of Los Angeles at dinner Sunday.

The members of the high school faculty and their families were entertained informally at a St. Patrick's day tea at the high school Monday afternoon from four to six. Miss Roxanna Elliott and Miss Long, assisted by Miss Clarke, served. Those present were Mrs. Milliken, Miss Patterson, Miss Griswold, Mr. and Mrs. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Tredway, Mrs. McCulley, Miss Price, Miss Fitch, Miss Gates.

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Meriam Coman, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Coman, who for two years has been principal of the Fresno evening high school, has just been appointed to a government position at San Francisco under the rehabilitation division of the federal board of vocational education, and will leave Fresno for his new work as soon as his successor can be secured for the Fresno place. The position is a civil service one, based upon competitive examination, and is interesting and practical work.

Come to cafeteria supper at Methodist church, Tuesday, April 1st, 6 p.m., and hear "The Gates That Bar" as interpreted by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Rasmus, at 8 p.m. Silver offering. 3-28

At the regular monthly meeting of the Presbyterian women last Thursday it was voted to take a full hundred of the four hundred and fifty garments which were Covina's quota to be made for the French Relief. It was planned to spend the day yesterday (Thursday) sewing at the Red Cross rooms, but because of the heavy rain the time was postponed one week. In the afternoon of the meeting last week, with Japan the subject of study, Dr. Johnson was the speaker, and he gave one of the best, up-to-date, and interesting discussions of the educational, social and general conditions in the island kingdom ever given in Covina, based upon his many years of residence there.

Mr. William Helzer, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Jones of East Badillo street, returned to California on Monday from service overseas. He has been transferred for the present to San Pedro.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Harnish of the San Antonio apartments entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Harnish and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Custer at dinner Sunday.

Mrs. David Watson and sister, Miss Clair Sanborn, were among the guests Wednesday afternoon at a reception and musicale at the Valley Hunt Club, given by Mrs. J. F. Rhodes, Jr., in honor of her sister, Mrs. E. Goodspeed, wife of Professor Goodspeed of the Chicago university.

Mrs. J. C. Walters, Mrs. Carl Aschenbrenner, Mr. Fred Aschenbrenner, and Mrs. E. H. Walters motored to Ontario on Tuesday and were the guests for the day of the Reverend and Mrs. A. Goetze.

Mrs. William Viney of East Badillo street entertained as luncheon guests Thursday of last week Mrs. Alexander Mills and Mrs. Russell Vaile of Los Angeles and Mrs. J. R. Elliott of Covina.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fisher of San Bernardino road entertained the latter's brother, Byron Woods and family of Santa Ana, on Sunday.

None of our home attractions are ever more heartily enjoyed than those given by the high school students. See "The Princess Bulbul" tonight.

Mrs. E. P. Warner, who has been spending a few weeks at Long Beach with her sisters, returned home Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. C. Walters and Mrs. E. C. Walters entertained at 2 o'clock dinner on Sunday. The guests included Rev. and Mrs. A. Goetze and Mrs. Edna Andres of Ontario, Miss Mabel Ludwig of Hollywood, Miss Ella Walters of Los Angeles, and Mr. Roy Brock of the battleship Minneapolis.

The local Baptists met with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hohman for cottage prayer-meeting Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wolfarth of San Bernardino road entertained at dinner Wednesday evening Mrs. H. C. Wolfarth of Minnesota, who is returning to her eastern home this week after visiting in Southern California. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Wolfarth also entertained a few friends at cards in honor of Mrs. H. C. Wolfarth. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. George Coolman, Mrs. Crusey, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bowman, Mrs. H. C. Wolfarth, and Otto Wolfarth.

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The idea that California soils are virgin, of inexhaustible fertility, might be good real estate talk, but not safe to bank on in making oranges pay. The nature of the citrus trees seems to be to overfeed itself in the surrounding soils for a few years when first planted. Especially is this true when there is plenty of expanding room for new roots. After this brief period the tree practically stands still if not fertilized, and its fruit is all of small sizes.

All record-breaking returns of heavy crops have been made on well-fertilized orchards. There are many cases where old trees ceased to bear fruit after going a few years without fertilizer. This is more nearly true of old trees than of young trees, and as the orchards grow older they need more fertilizer each year.

There are some remarkable examples in this valley of good returns from various systems of fertilizing, many of which would pay growers to investigate and put into practice.

There are within a few miles of Covina some of the most productive orchards in the state of California, due principally to consistent, regular and systematic fertilization and fumigation, covering a period of years. It would be well to watch from year to year the yield and tree conditions in some of the best orchards. A good demonstration is worth a whole lot of theory. On the other hand, there are many orchards that are giving unnecessarily low returns for lack of fertilization or incomplete systems employed.

Interest and taxes on a valuation of $3000 per acre means that it is costing somebody about $4 per tree each year to keep a tree standing idle. On the other hand, tree that are properly fertilized and annually fumigated will net their owners handsome returns on this valuation. Fumigation and fertilization go hand in hand to achieve financial success in the citrus business. It is useless to spend large sums on fertilizer unless the grower consistently fumigates, for as one rancher said, "There is no fertilizer that will successfully grow fruit and feed scale at the same time." It is a noticeable fact that successful fertilizer salesmen never solicit a rancher for business who neglects any of the great essentials in citrus culture.

Amphion Club Hears Ellen Beach Yaw Sing

Members and invited guests of the Amphion Club were given the privilege of hearing a program last Saturday evening which was of an excellence not surpassed by any musical society in the state. The program was for the most part furnished by Ellen Beach Yaw, California's famous soprano, whose home is in Covina. A few months ago she returned from an eastern concert tour and has been resting since Christmas at the home of her sister, Mrs. B. F. Thorpe.

The beautiful Italian home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Thorpe, on Cypress avenue, was thrown open for this Amphion meeting, and the home was filled with guests.

Madame Yaw's program consisted of many songs. Perhaps some of the simplest of the numbers brought her nearer to her friends than the glorious ones rendered. Her program included the "Aria from La Traviata" (Verdi); "Il Primo Amore" (Widor); "The Lass With the Delicate Air" (Arne); "When Celia Sings" (Frank Moir); "Lingering, Lone Rose" (Sibella); "Under the Greenwood Tree" (Buzzie-Peccia); "If No One Ever Marries Me" (Liza Lehmann); "Miss Marian" (Floy Little Bartlett); "The Skylark" (Ellen Beach Yaw); "Laughing Song" (Auber); "Long, Long Ago" (Bayly); "Annie Laurie" (Scott).

Madame Yaw was assisted in the program by Miss Georgiella Lay, a gifted pianist of New York City, now making her home in Los Angeles. Her numbers were repeatedly encored. She especially delighted the members of the club in her rendition of Edouard Schutt's "Carnival Mignonne,"

At the close of the program, Mrs. Thorpe, assisted by a number of ladies, served dainty refreshments. The next meeting of the Amphion Club will be held at the home of Mrs. W. M. Warren on North Citrus avenue.

STORY OF MISSIONARY' LIFE IN AFRICA IS TOLD

Dr. W. P. Dodson, who has spent over thirty years of his life as a medical missionary in Africa, delivered an address, illustrated with stereopticon pictures, at the Methodist church on Wednesday evening.

Dr. Dodson entered the mission field in Africa as a co-worker with the late Bishop William Taylor, the first missionary bishop of the Methodist faith in the African field. The pictures, with few exceptions, were taken by Dr. Dodson, covering a period of nearly thirty years. They showed the construction of the early missions, schools, native villages, and many of the photographs of the native chiefs.

Dr. Dodson, with his wife, who shared his labors all through his missionary career, is now living in Pasadena. Two of his sons are students of the University of Southern California, preparing themselves to take up the work on the mission field where their father, on account of age, was compelled to leave.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of La Grande Source Water Company will be held at Room 7, Reed Block, in the City of Covina, Los Angeles County, California, on Monday, the seventh day of April, A. D. 1919, at three o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

GEO. E. CROSS,
Secretary.

Dated March 21, 1919. 3-21,28;4-4

FRIENDS SURPRISE LADY ON EIGHTY-SEVENTH BIRTHDAY

Miss Mary Sanborn of Center street gave a surprise dinner on Tuesday evening in honor of her mother's eighty-seventh birthday. When Mrs. E. E. Sanborn, with some friends, returned from a forty-five mile automobile ride, she found covers were laid for eleven at a table prettily decorated with pink hyacinths. A delicious three-course dinner was served, Miss Ethel Sanborn assisting the hostess. One of the pleasant features was the lighting of the candles, representing the four score and seven years, on a large cake daintily iced with pink, which was the gift of Miss Grace Outland. The evening was pased with music and visiting. The guests considered themselves favored to associate another evening with so gracious a person as Mrs. Sanborn, whose years have been filled with that best portion of a good life—"The little, nameless, unremembered acts of kindness and of love."

Those present were Mrs. M. E. Sanborn, Miss Grace Outland, Mr. John Sanborn and daughter, Miss Ethel, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Patrick, Mrs. Morris and daughter Elsie, Mrs. Lucinda Gates, Miss Crystal Gates, and Miss Mary Sanborn.

NEW DIRECTOR OF COVINA LYRIC CLUB ENTERTAINED

Mr. Harry Clifford Lott, new director of the Lyric Club, was entertained at dinner on Tuesday evening at the home of the club president, Mrs. W. B. Thorne.

Later in the evening he was introduced to several members of the club, and plans as to the work for the next two months were partially outlined.

The "get acquainted" meeting proved to be very enjoyable. Under Mr. Lott's direction the club sang two numbers. Mr. Lott delighted his audience by singing several selections. By request, Miss Ida Elder, playing her own accompaniment, and Mrs. Henry Marshall, accompanied by Mrs. George Phillips, gave two fine selections.

After punch and wafers were served the guests lingered and chatted till a late hour. The ladies are happily anticipating rehearsals, which will begin the first Tuesday in April and be held weekly thereafter.

LOS ANGELES ATTORNEY WILL ADDRESS BAPTISTS

Mr. Howard Robertson, president of the board of public service commission of Los Angeles, and formerly, for several years, assistant city attorney, will be the chief speaker at the Brotherhoop supper which is to be given in the parlors of the Baptist church next Thursday evening, March 27, at 6:30. The ladies of the church will serve the supper. A soldiers' quartet, secured by W. A. Blakemore, will render songs that the boys sang in camps. Mr. Robertson's subject will be "The Deposits of the Brea Pits" and will be illustrated with lantern slides. He has given this subject much study and has been heard with interest by many audiences in Southern California. All men of the community are invited to enjoy the supper and the fine program.

MANY PURCHASERS OF CHEVROLET AUTOMOBILES

The local agent for the Chevrolet car, Mr. Merritt, reports a busy week. Among the local purchasers of new cars are C. M. Graham, John Ortaga, and Claud Graham.

The date for the Saunders-Gauweiler concert is March 25th. Don't miss it.

AUTOMOBILE CLUB WARNS OF SPEED COP AT EL MONTE

El Monte is again on the warpath, states the local touring bureau of the Automobile Club of Southern California, and is out again for scalps of motorists who think they can exceed the twenty-mile an hour speed limit there and get away with it.

A speedy motorcycle officer, of good old-fashioned El Monte calibre, is on the job, and the speed trap is clocking regularly. Do not make more than 20 per hour in El Monte, and do not open mufflers there either, warns the Automobile Club.

The speed cop on the valley boulevard passing through Alhambra is also constantly seen on the job, putting under arrest some luckless driven who has been in too much haste to get to or from Los Angeles.

Mrs. Will Thorne entertained friends from the old home last week, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Houseman of Fairmont, Minnesota.

Mrs. Leila Craigmiles is visiting with friends in Colton for a few weeks.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the COVINA COUNTRY CLUB will be held at the Club-house on Monday, April 7th, 1919, at 8 o'clock p.m.

This meeting is called for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

J. C. HUTCHINSON, Jr.,
Secretary.

Dated March 19th, 1919. 3-28

No. of Bank, 220.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE COVINA VALLEY SAVINGS BANK,

at Covina, California, as of the close of business on the 4th day of March, 1919.

RESOURCES.

	Savings.
Loans and Discounts	$311,900.00
Bonds, Warrants and Other Securities (including premium thereon less all offsetting bond adjustment accounts)	89,176.00
Other Real Estate Owned	750.00
Due from Reserve Banks	39,106.42
Due from Other Banks	7,285.66
Actual Cash on Hand	9,000.00
Checks and other Cash Items	5.46
Total	$457,223.54

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	$ 25,000.00
Surplus	20,000.00
Undivided Profits, Less Expenses and Taxes Paid	17,382.61
Savings Deposits	333,385.01
Time Certificates of Deposit	61,455.92
Total	$457,223.54

State of California, County of Los Angeles, ss:

M. Leonhardt, vice-president, and R. M. Philleo, cashier, of Covina Valley Savings Bank, being duly sworn, each for himself, says he has a personal knowledge of the matters contained in the foregoing report of condition and that every allegation, statement, matter and thing therein contained, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

M. LEONHARDT,
Vice-President.
R. M. PHILLEO,
Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to before me by both deponents, the 19th day of March, 1919.

(Seal.) BRYCE M. GIVEN,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

No. 40884.

Estate of GEORGE W. VAN VLIET, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administratrix of the estate of George W. Van Vliet, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix at the office of Messrs. Gail, Pence & Gail, rooms 5, 7 and 8, Reed building, City of Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as a place of business in all matters connected with said estate, or to file them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

Dated March 14th, 1919.

BRILLA W. VAN VLIET,
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Mr. Roy Brock of the battleship Minneapolis, which is stationed for a time at San Diego, was the guest over the week-end at the Walters home on San Bernardino road.

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How Boys Learn to Smoke Tobacco

When you see a boy taking his first fall out of tobacco, you wonder how in the name of horse sense he can do it.

The tobacco habit is a product of kid foolishness. Few men take to it after they have reached their majority.

If you smoke about the house and leave your pipe or snipes lay around loose you may be sure that your boy has had a try at it some time.

I learned to chew tobacco back in Indiana at the "Ol' Swimmin' Hole." Do you remember the old swimming hole? I'll bet you do, and there is a lot about it you would not care to repeat.

The boy that had more to do with learning the kinds to chew than anyone else had real store tobacco. The tobacco trust had not come into existance fifty years ago and there was Hen House Navy, and the Jamb of the Fence, and Native Twist, but one outfit put out a vile black-looking truck that very much resembled the present product.

The "boughten" product was usually easier to manage than the home brand, and the boy that carried his in that form was away up in G.

The boys would gather at the pool at the river and Chas. would give them all a chew to see them get sick. It was great sport for him, and I have seen as many as five laid out at one time. He called it "being a man," and there was a bunch of mighty sick boys trying to "be a man." You never got quite as sick after the first chew, and it is remarkable how soon a boy can "be a man" after the first chew.

He always had a liberal supply for the boy that got sick, but as soon as it failed to give him that pleasure the supply was shut off and the boy that wanted it was very gruffly told to "go buy your tobacco, mine cost me money."

After a boy had "become a man" and wanted the weed, there was the rub. Boys fifty years ago did not have as much loose change as they have now, but if you had the price you could get it at any store where it was sold. There were no restrictions as far as law was concerned. A boy could steal a dozen eggs, and take them to the store and trade them for tobacco. Then there was the home product hanging in the shed, where you could go and make your own perfectos.

After I had learned to be a man I was up against the problem of getting the goods that made manhood. I never liked the home product, and when I met one of these kings that had store tobacco the greeting was something after this fashion: "Lo, Bill, gimme a chew." Sometimes I got it and sometimes I did not, but I have driven many a hard bargain, and have had many a poor deal put over on me to get a piece of the coveted article.

One time I traded a Barlo knife for a piece of the stuff and it lasted me about five days. Chewed up my knife, you might say, in five days. Then I had to lie to my old mother to get another.

Then there were all those years of deception until I got caught with the goods on me. My sister got next and one day she said, "You are chewing tobacco, Mart, aint you?" I had to fess up and I begged her not to tell. I promised to quit if she would not, and I fully intended to do so, but every time I met one of the boys it was "Gimme a chew," and you don't quit that way. I lied to her, along with the other numerous lies I had to tell during my apprenticeship to being a pig. Murder will out, and finally mother got it, and there were the usual scenes, and a few more lies, and I broke out in the open, as a regular guy—not as the boys use that term now.

It was so hard for me to preserve a decent front. That old blackstrap that we used to chew those days had a stain that would go through an alligator's hide, and often when I was "going out among them" there would be a slip and I would have my brand on my shirt front. I had it on my breath, and why not on the shirt?

A man is like an automobile. He has a pretty good kick to him while he is young, but when he gets older he loses compression, and the amber does not clear, and his manly front gets the charge. One day I was down here in Covina, right here in our town, and I saw a man with low compression and he was a fright. I thought, "Old man, if I ever get as filthy as you I will retire from that business." I gave myself the once over, and "goodnight," I was worse!

I took a bunch of boys out to the San Gabriel river to the swimming hole and what I saw convinced me that a half century had made very little difference, only in this case is was the "makings" instead of the old blackstrap. For this reason I am keen for the municipal swimming hole here in Covina where all these old vices cannot thrive so well.

I don't figure that I am going to affect the revenues of the tobacco trust very much among the old users, but the boys up in the grammar school; they are the ones I am after. I want to prevent new business.

I used to kid myself into thinking that the weed did not hurt me. Most users do that, but if the Almighty had intended that you should chase a lot of saliva through your system by the use of tobacco, He would have put an auxiliary tank on you to supply the need, or a smoke stack on your head so that it would not get in your lungs.

I knew a splendid fellow who was an engineer on one of the big railroads. He had to quit on account of chewing. When there was a close meeting point and he did not know whether he would get into the clear before the flyer hit him, he used to grind up chew after chew. Sometimes a ten cent plug would go in a short while, and he had to quit. I saw him about two years ago and I scarcely knew him. He said, "Old man, I have quit tobacco and I am all right and I am going back on the road." That is what tobacco did for him, and it may do it for you, my boy, and don't you allow any cigaret-smoking kid to tell you that it takes a coffin nail stuck in your face to make a man out of you. The fact that there are laws against selling tobacco to minors is proof that it is injurious to your health.

Boys, there is liable to come a time when you will wish that someone had taken you out and horse-whipped you for ever monkeying with the stuff. It will be when there is a girl that you thing is the nicest, sweetest holiest think is the nicest, sweetest, holiest just want to lay down in the mud hole in front of her and let her walk on you so she will not get her footies dirty. When that time comes, kid, you have got it. No, it is not the flu. It is heart trouble. Don't be scared; you need not see a doctor about it. Your dad had it and your mother, too, and you are due to get it if you are any good.

You are walking down to the high school with Angel Eyes and you are wondering if you look all right. You are sorry you did not have your best tie on. If you smoke the cigarets you have something on you an almighty sight worse than a faded tie, if she is any near what you think she is, and that may be the reason Angel Eyes does not shine up to you as you wish she would.

And just a word to you, Angel Eyes. If you don't like the odor of tobacco, and Bill has it on him, you can be assured that what you get now will be many times worse when he has you all his own and there is no restraint necessary.

I wish you kids might have this heart trouble the first time tobacco is offered you. If you are not able to bean the kid that tried to foul you up, I am sure that you would tell him where to head in.

If you go to a young fellow's room and he asks you to have a cigaret and you refuse, he will not think any less of you, if he is worth knowing at all.

Sometimes Angel Eyes gets next to you and then there is the sneak that will promise her that he will never, never do it again, only to lie about it.

Yes, you are a sneak. I was a sneak when I told my sister that I would quit and did not do it. Any boy is a sneak when he is hiding out and smoking because he knows that mother will "have a fit" if she finds it out.

No boy is the clean, manly fellow that his mother thinks he is that has to deceive her.

Boys, dad would like to tell you this same stuff, but he fell for it long ago, and has the habit fastened on him and knows that he will never quit, but down deep in his heart he is hoping you will not follow in his footsteps.

If we could see the havoc wrought by the weed we would be more alarmed than we are.

Tobacco never put a clear thought in your head, but it muddled many a good thinker. If I had never used the weed I would not be so certain about it, but I know from experience.

I have a lot of boy friends that are free from the habit, and if this article will be the means of keeping a single one of them from contracting the habit, I will be amply paid for my trouble. So boys, just take a tip from one that has been through the mill and knows what he is talking about.

There is absolutely nothing in this smoking and chewing business, and it may be the means of lessening your efficiency, and your life may be shortened by the habit. MARTIN PESLER.

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RESOURCES.

1. (a) Loans and discounts, including rediscounts	$393,741.36	
Deduct:		
(d) Notes and bills rediscounted (other than bank acceptances sold) (see Item 57a)	5,000.00	$388,741.36
2. Overdrafts, unsecured		306.16
5. **U. S. bonds** (other than Liberty bonds, but including U. S. certificates of indebtedness):		
(a) U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	$ 25,000.00	
(f) U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness owned and unpledged	105,000.00	130,000.00
6. **Liberty loan bonds:**		
(a) Liberty Loan bonds, 3½, 4, and 4¼ per cent, unpledged	20,250.00	
(d) Liberty Loan Bonds, 3½, 4, and 4¼ per cent, pledged to secure State or other deposits or bills payable	15,000.00	35,250.00
7. **Bonds, securities, etc.** (other than U. S.):		
(e) Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged		54,768.56
9. Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)		3,000.00
10. (a) Value of banking house, owned and unincumbered		23,000.00
11. Furniture and fixtures		4,700.00
12. Real estate owned other than banking house		7,000.00
13. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		47,113.99
15. Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks		126,033.87
18. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 17)		775.88
Total of Items 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18	$126,809.75	
19. Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items		902.13
20. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		1,250.00
21. Interest earned but not collected—approximate—on notes and bills receivable not past due		4,125.63
22. War Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps actually owned		261.40
23. Other assets, if any		5,995.00
TOTAL		$833,223.98

LIABILITIES.

24. Capital Stock paid in		$ 50,000.00
25. Surplus fund		50,000.00
26. (a) Undivided profits	$50,850.09	
(b) Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	6,221.42	44,628.67
27. Interest and discount collected or credited, in advance of maturity and not earned (approximate)		78.05
30. Circulating notes outstanding		25,000.00
32. Net amounts due to National banks		798.95
33. Net amounts due to banks, bankers, and trust companies (other than included in Items 31 or 32		6,610.31
34. Certified checks outstanding		62.25
35. Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding		3,227.41
Total of Items 32, 33, 34, and 35	$10,698.92	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
36. Individual deposits subject to check		620,445.98
37. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)		234.78
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, and 41	$620,680.76	
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
42. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		32,137.58
TOTAL		$833,223.98
57. (a) Liabilities for rediscounts, including those with Federal Reserve Bank (see Item 1d		5,000.00

State of California, County of Los Angeles, ss:

I, R. M. Philleo, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signed) R. M. PHILLEO, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of March, 1919.
BRYCE M. GIVEN,
(Seal.) Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
W. M. GRISWOLD,
C. F. CLAPP,
M. LEONHARDT,
Directors.

PLANS ANNOUNCED FOR WORK OF LOCAL METHODISTS

On Sunday, March 23, the fiftieth anniversary of the organization of the Foreign Missionary society in the Methodist church, Miss Laura Charnock of Los Angeles will speak from the pulpit of the local church in the interest of the work.

At the regular monthly all-day meeting of the ladies of the Covina Methodist church, held on Thursday of last week, a full discussion of the plans of the local church consumed a greater portion of the day. It included the Red Cross work of the church, the organization of the young people and children for the home and foreign missionary work, under the supervision of the pastor's wife, and the arrangements for a cafeteria supper and social evening in the church parlors on April 1.

The work of the centenary movement was reviewed, and reports dealing with the recent three days' conference in Los Angeles were read.

The Foreign Missionary society announced its annual "Day of Prayer" to be held today, March 21, at 3 p.m. at the home of the Misses Davis on Cottage Drive.

A Sharp Safety Sure Shaves Smooth. Take your dull blades to Nash's drug store and have them sharpened better than new. 3-21p

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

CHARTER OAK CITRUS ASSOCIATION (incorporated), principal place of business, Charter Oak, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 21st day of February, 1919, an assessment of one dollar and fifty cents ($1.50) per share was levied upon the capital stock of the above-named corporation, payable immediately to the secretary at the office of the corporation, at Charter Oak, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 22nd day of March, 1919, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 12th day of April, 1919, at nine (9) o'clock in the morning, at the office of the corporation, at Charter Oak, County of Los Angeles, State of California, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising and expense of sale.

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Local News

The local Rebekah lodge enjoyed a picnic supper, followed by iniation, in the lodge rooms Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Mellann of West Badillo street entertained at dinner on Wednesday Mr. Archer Neilson and his sister, Miss Neilson, of Seattle, who is the guest of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berman and daughter, Miss Gae, spent Sunday with relatives in Inglewood.

Miss Eva Mohr of the grammar school, who was ill for several days last week, is able to resume her school work this week.

On Saturday of last week Mrs. J. R. Elliott entertained a group of friends at luncheon at her home on the corner of Cienega and Citrus avenues in honor of Mrs. L. L. Ratekin of Los Angeles. She was assisted by her daughters, Mrs. William Viney and Mrs. Herbert Milliken.

Keep the evening of next week Friday open for the lecture upon "The League of Nations" at the high school, to be given by Dr. Silas Evans, president of Occidental college.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hutchinson of Cypress avenue entertained on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. George Windett and Mr. and Mrs. George Gibbs and Miss Lucile Knolton of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clarke are entertaining the latter's brother, Mr. Davis Hyatt of Arkansas, for a few days this week.

Miss Rosita Kerckhoff entertained with a dancing party at her home on Puente street on Monday evening in honor of her cousin, Mrs. Gerald Young of Duarte. Mrs. Young, who is a recent bride, was Miss Gertrude Kerckhoff of Los Angeles. The St. Patrick's day motif was carried out in both decorations and refreshments. There were twenty-four guests from Covina and Los Angeles.

SEVEN "MISTRESSES OF SEA"

Including Tyre, Only That Number of Nations Have Right to Title of High Honor.

Mark Sullivan, writing in Collier's on "America's Part in the New World—The Heritage of Tyre," quotes another writer as follows, referring to nations that have held the position of the "Mistress of the Seas:"

"Since the day that man first straddled a floating log and started humanity adventuring by sea, the intervening centuries have seen ony seven nations possessed of sufficient genius to dominate the earth's deep waters. During 2,248 years Tyre has had but seven true heirs. Tyre, in her time, was the inspiration of all commerce. Irrespective of nationality, all who trafficked by sea were called 'merchants of Tyre,' and all vessels of burden 'ships of Tyre.' Dynasties lived by grace of Tyre's credit, and died at the calling of her loans. With the passing of Tyre, the position went to Carthage; after Carthage to the Italian cities, Venice, Genoa, Florence and Naples. Italy held her dominance for 700 years, until the Hanseatic League of Cities took the crown of commerce to the Baltic sea. Then Portugal forced herself to the front. That was preceding the discovery of America by Spain. With the aggressiveness of which that discovery was characteristic, Spain took the leadership away from Portugal. Spain held it 200 years and lost it to Holland. Holland held it for some generations and lost it to Great Britain."

PLANT DESERVING OF PRAISE

Witch Hazel Has Many Qualities Which Entitle It to Commendation—Valuable in Medicine.

In an article "On Nature's Trail" in Boys' Life, Dr. Edward S. Bigelow writes of the last flower of the season, the witch hazel, as follows:

"If we should look at the witch hazel as the last flower of the season, to it we would award the booby prize. But if we consider it in connection with its braving of the cold weather in an effort to beautify the woods, we would give it the first prize. No other flower of the year so bravely withstands the cold weather. It begins to bloom in November or even a little earlier, and clings persistently to its twigs until the first of January or even later, sprinkling the shades of the woods with its feathery, dainty golden bloom. It is said also that it has valuable medicinal qualities. It now is one of the ingredients of various well-known extracts of witch hazel. There is also a curious old-time superstition in regard to its uncanny ability as a divining rod. It is said to be able to point out underground deposits of water and of precious ores. That myth probably originated from a misunderstanding or a misconstruing of its name. This is not primarily witch but wych, which had some relation to a salt spring or dairy house, and was sometimes spelled wick."

"Old King Cole."

The first reference to "Old King Cole," the "merry old soul" of the famous nursery rhyme, was made in a book written by Dr. William King, who was born in 1633. It is probable that the song was composed in the seventeenth century, although some investigators think it much older. Halliwell identifies the merry monarch with Cole or Coel, a semi-mythical king of Britain who is supposed to have reigned in the third century. The Scots also have an "Old King Coul," said to have lived in the fifth century. Freeman and other historians say a King Cole ruled Britain in the sixth century. There are many who assert that the reference to the pipe indicates that Old King Cole lived at a period after Raleigh had introduced tobacco into Europe, but this does not necessarily follow, as a pipe might mean a musical instrument.

Superstitions About Shoes.

Many superstitions are connected with shoes. It is thought unlucky to put either shoe on the wrong foot. Because Augustus Caesar was nearly assassinated by a mutineer one day when he put on his left shoe first, a saying has arisen that the right shoe must be put on first unless its owner wishes to court misfortune. Pythagoras, the old Greek sage, told his disciples to put their left foot into their baths first. In Anglo-Saxon marriages the father-in-law gave the bride's shoe to the bridegroom, who, touched her on the head with it to denote his lordly authority.

At one time—in the fourteenth or fifteenth century—people wore the points or beaks of their shoes so long that they tumbled over them when they walked, and were forced to tie them to their knees by laces or chains.

Found a Way Out.

Several times had the priest remonstrated with Pat against his wasteful habit of treating when attending market and made him promise to keep his change in his pocket until he reached home and then hand it over to his wife. A short time afterward the priest, passing through the market place, noticed Pat and some companions leaving a public house. "Now, Pat," he said, "what did you promise me?" "Och, sure Oi cudn't hilp it yer riverence," answered Pat. "Sure Oi jist foun' a hole in me trousers pocket, an' wuz afeerd Oi'd lose the change afore Oi'd got home!"—London Tatler.

Church News

Methodist Episcopal Church: College street near Citrus avenue. Frank B. Cowgill, pastor. R. T. Chew, Sunday-school superintendent. B. L. Easton, chorister. Mrs. R. T Chew, pianist. Sunday-school at 9:45 a.m., followed by morning worship at 11. Epworth League at 6:30 p.m., followed by public worship at 7:30. Junior League meeting Tuesday afternoon at 3:45. Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

The annual thank offering service of the Woman's Foreign Misionary society will be held at the hour of morning worship, and the speaker will be Miss Laura Charnock. At 6:30 p.m. the class in "World Democracy" will study the chapter on "The Leaven of Freedom at Work in India." The pastor will preach at the hour of evening worship.

First Baptist Church. A. Watson Brown, minister. Second street near College. Sunday-school, 9:45 a.m.; H. L. Healy, superintendent. Morning service at 11, including children's service. Small children will be cared for in the nursery. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30, studying Fosdick's "Manhood of the Master," under the leadership of Forrest Manning. Evening preaching service at 7:30. Wednesday evening service: Bible study at 7; prayer meeting at 7:45.

"The Allurement of Love" will be the subject of the morning sermon. Children's subject, "The Velvet Rod." Topic for the B.Y.P.U., "The Master's Loyalty." Subject for the evening sermon, "The Far Country." Bible study topic for Wednesday evening, Second Timothy.

Holy Trinity Episcopal, corner Badillo and Third . Rev. L. M. Idleman, rector. Third in Lent. Holy communion, 7:30 a.m.; Sunday-school, 9:45 a.m. Morning prayer and sermon, 11 a.m. Tuesday, March 25: Feast of the Anunciation: Holy communion, 10 a.m. Wednesday, March 26: evensong and address, 4 p.m. Thursday, March 27, Holy communion, 7:30 a.m. Friday, March 28, litany and confirmation lecture, 4 p.m. All are welcome. It is hoped that the rector emeritus, the Rev. Alfred Fletcher, will be with us on Sunday morning.

Evangelical Lutheran St. John's Church: Rev. H. O. Michel, pastor. Church Third and Dexter streets. Sunday-school 9:15 a.m.; morning service 10:30.

Subject for Lenten service, "The Suffering Savior's Prayer for Deliverance." A welcome for all. Next Thursday the Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. H. Dethlefs. The ladies will sew all day for the Lutheran Indian mission. Everybody come and help us do our bit!

Presbyterian Church: Rev. Chauncey A. Foreman, pastor. Italia and Second streets. Sunday-school, 9:45 a.m.; Chas. A. Hale, superintendent; morning sermon, 11 a.m.; Junior C. E., 4 p.m.; C. E. Society, 6:45; evening service, 7:45; midweek service, Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.

Morning subject, "Girding Ourselves for the New Era." Special music by quartet. On account of the C. E. convention at Pomona there will be no C. E. meeting and no evening service.

Christian Church: J. W. Utter, pastor. Park street and San Bernardino road. Sunday-school, 9:45 a.m.; Tom Johnson, superintendent; morning sermon, 11 a.m.; C. E., 6 p.m.; evening sermon, 7:00; midweek services, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Special music morning and evening under the direction of Harry Shields. Preaching at both services by the pastor.

First Church of Christ, Scientist: Church edifice, Center and Third St. Sunday-school, 9:45. Morning service, 11. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting, 8. Reading room, 132 West Badillo street, open from 2 to 4:30. The public is cordially invited to the services and to the reading room.

Subject, Sunday, March 23, "Matter."

Church of the Brethren: George F. Chemberlen, elder in charge. Third and Puente streets. Sunday-school, 10 a.m.; morning sermon, 11 a.m.; Christian Workers' meeting, 6:45; evening sermon, 7:30 p.m.; mid-week services on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Church of the Sacred Heart (Catholic): Father M. H. Geary, pastor. Church at Fifth and Center streets. Mass at 8 a.m.

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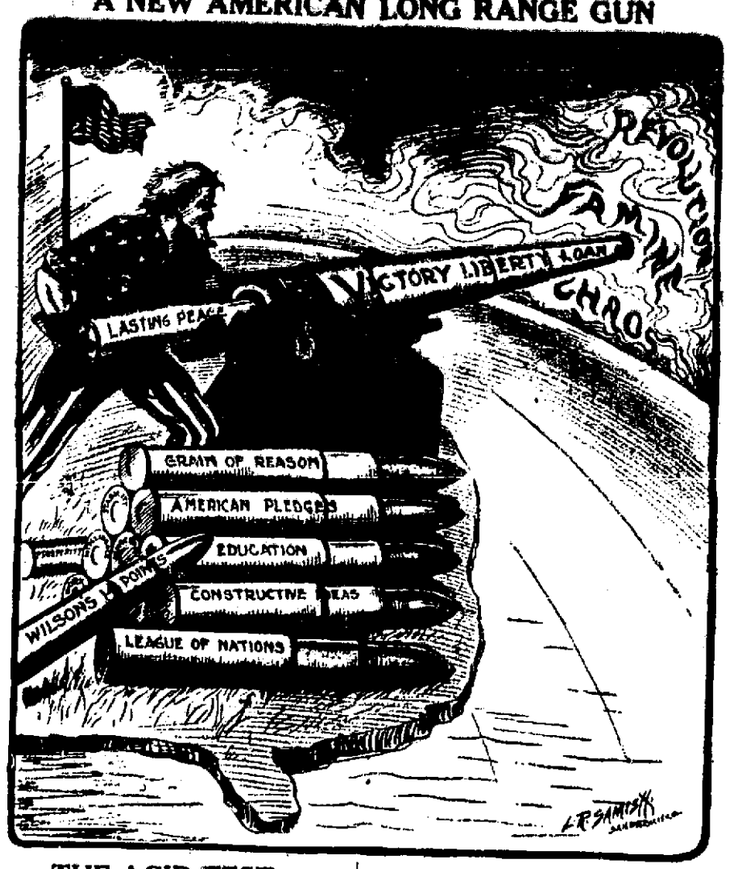

THE ACID TEST

Provost Marshal-General Crowder's report of the work of mobilizing the man-power of the nation under the Selective Draft Act disclosed the reason why America was able to produce such a tremendous quantity of foodstuff despite the drain upon the labor of the country by the operation of the draft. The reason was that sixty-five per cent of the farm labor of the country registered for military service was given deferred classification upon agricultural grounds.

Saving the possible exception of shipyard workers no other single industry was given such consideration as was the pursuit of farming and no class of producers was treated more fairly than the farmers. This was right and just, yet to the credit of the government.

The war is over as far as the fighting is concerned and the government turns to the people to settle up the bills incurred in ending it. It expects the farmer, individually and as a class, to retaliate with the "square deal."

The Victory Liberty Loan—the last of the Liberty Loans—is coming next month. It is going to catch the farmer at the wrong season. That is good.

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